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Washington, D.C. 20530

The Honorable Elijah E. Cummings  
Chairman  
Committee on Oversight and Reform  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

APR 11 2019

Dear Chairman Cummings:

This responds to your letter to Acting Attorney General Whitaker dated February 12, 2019, requesting certain documents related to the addition of a question on citizenship to the 2020 Census. We previously provided you with initial productions on February 25, 2019, consisting of 190 pages, March 15, 2019, consisting of 1,181 pages, and March 29, 2019, consisting of 973 pages.

We note that on April 2, 2019, the Committee on Oversight and Reform (Committee) issued a subpoena *duces tecum* to the Attorney General. The subpoena contains two items of interest to the Committee, one of which is identical to item number 3 in the Committee's February 12, 2019 letter. As set out above, the Department of Justice (Department) has produced 2,344 pages to date (excluding today's production) in response to your initial request and many of these documents are potentially responsive to the Committee's subpoena. The Department will continue to make productions to the Committee on a rolling basis responsive to both the April 2 subpoena and the February 12 letter.

Enclosed with this letter is a compact disk containing 5 files, consisting of 218 pages, produced in response to your request, Bates numbered HOGRCensus-02122019-0002347-HOGRCensus-02122019-002565. This production contains emails from Department officials as well as court filings and materials pertaining to *New York v. United States Department of Commerce*.

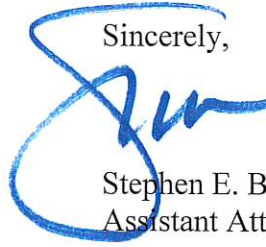
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We will supplement this response when additional materials become available. If you

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have questions regarding this production, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. Boyd', is written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

Stephen E. Boyd  
Assistant Attorney General

Enclosure

cc: The Honorable Jim Jordan  
Ranking Member